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PART VI

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS

FOREST DEPARTMENT

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification dated the 23rd June 1939, regarding the resale of the Minor Forest Produce leases of Kankanhalli, Magadi, Nelamangala and Bangalore Taluks, published on page 1213, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 29th June 1939.

The date of sale is 17th July 1939 at 2 P.M.

Sale Notification dated 3rd July 1939.

SALE OF QUARRYING STONES AND SLABS IN STATE FORESTS.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the right of quarrying building stones and slabs in the following areas within the State Forests, Bangalore District, from the date of confirmation till the end of June 1940 will be sold in auction by the District Forest Officer.

N.B.—The sale will commence at 4 P.M.

Sl. No.	Locality	Place of sale	Date of sale
1	Balara Bande in Kalkere Forest	District Forest Office, Seshadri Road, Bangalore.	29th July 1939, Saturday.
2	Bannerghatta Kavalbande in Bannerghatta State Forest.		

Conditions of sale.

1. Each bidder must deposit Rs. 25 as earnest money before he is allowed to bid.
2. At the close of the sale, the sale amount in full with cesses, should be paid deducting the earnest money paid by the highest bidder. The earnest money paid by unsuccessful bidders will be returned

3. Within seven days from the date of receipt of intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the highest bidder should deposit 25 per cent of the sale amount as security deposit and execute a bond on ten anna stamp paper. Failure will involve the cancellation of the sale and forfeiture of all moneys paid and resale of the lease at the risk of the original purchaser who will be held responsible for any loss sustained by Government which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue.

4. The lease should not be sublet without the written permission of the District Forest Officer, Bangalore.

5. The lessee should observe all the rules regarding kindling of fire, etc. He should remove stones only under the passes issued by the Range Officer or other officer authorised by him.

6. The lessee should keep account of stones quarried and removed and render monthly account to the Range Officer concerned.

7. No damage should be caused to the tree-growth or grass by cutting or burning it. He shall pay a fine of Rs. 10 per tree or per acre (in case of grass) damaged if this condition is violated.

SALE OF LIME KANKAR.

Notification dated 3rd July 1939.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collection of Lime Kankar in the undermentioned State Forests of the Bangalore District for the year 1939-40, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by him on the date and place and subject to the conditions mentioned below. The sale will commence at 3 P.M. precisely on the date of sale and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer in case of bids of Rs. 1,000 and below, and the Chief Conservator of Forests in other cases.

Name of range	Name of forest	Place of sale	Date of sale
Kankanhalli Satnur	Muggur State Forest Chilandadi Forest (*a*) Hyra Block (*b*) Doddakovu Block Chunchi East Forest	District Forest Office, Seshadri Road, Bangalore.	Saturday the 29th July 1939.

2. Each bidder shall before he is permitted to bid be required to deposit a sum of Rs. 10 (Ten Rupees) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale. The deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale, if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall immediately after the close of the sale pay 25 per cent of the bid amount and Local cess at one anna per rupee and Education cess at six pies per rupee, less the deposit already paid, failing which, the right will be resold or worked departmentally at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale or Departmental working, which will be recoverable from him as arrears of land revenue but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the Department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. Power is reserved to the officer conducting the sale to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

5. Within a week from the date of intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the person whose bid is accepted, shall deposit a sum of Rs. 25 or 25 per cent of the sale amount, whichever is less, as security towards the due fulfilment of his contract. He shall also pay within that period, the remaining 75 per cent of the contract amount due by him and shall execute an agreement, on a stamped paper of proper value accepting the above terms and the terms specified below, failing which the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government, and the produce resold at his risk as noted in clause 2 *supra*. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract.

6. He shall collect and remove the limestone before the 30th June 1940.

7. Each consignment of limestone shall be covered by a pass-port issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf and never by the private chits of the purchaser or anybody else.

8. He shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of the fire and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

9. No operation shall take place in the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

10. He shall not sublet the contract to anybody, except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer, Bangalore.

11. He shall have no right whatsoever over the collection or removal of limestone after the 30th June 1940. Extension of time will not be granted under any circumstances.

12. For any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents or employees, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing to the contractor a notice of the cancellation of the contract, enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell the right or work it Departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause 2 *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

Interest at 6¼ per cent will be levied on all belated payments.

SALE OF FUEL COUPES.

Notification dated 3rd July 1939.

It is hereby notified that the right to cut and remove trees or to burn charcoal in the undermentioned coupes in the following State Forests of the Bangalore District for the year 1939-40, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, or any other officer deputed by him, on the dates and places and subject to the conditions metioned below :—

The sale will commence at 2 P.M. precisely on each day and will be continued on succeeding days in case the sales are not concluded on that day and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer in case of bids of Rs. 1,000 and below and of the Chief Conservator of Forests in other cases :—

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Working Circle or Felling Series	Number of Coupe	Year	Area in acres	Place of sale	Date of sale	Nearest Railway Station
	CURRENT YEAR'S COUPES—1939-40.				A. G.			
Closepet Range	Savandurga Forest	Savandurga	2	39-40	82 0			About 19 miles from Closepet.
		Hanumandurga	2	,,	77 5			About 16 miles from Closepet.
	Siddedevarabetta Forest.	Mayanaikandurga	17	,,	72 2			About 19 miles from Closepet.
		Siddedevarabetta	17	,,	66 6			About 14 miles from Closepet.
	Chilur	Chilur	16	,,	64 4			About 28 miles from Closepet.
	Bantarkuppe	Bhantharkuppe	16	,,	105 2			About 27 miles from Closepet.
Kabbal Range	Makli Forest	Uddagudda F. S.	16	,,	114 0			About 14 miles from Maddur.
		Addagudda F. S.	16	,,	118 0			About 10 miles from Channapatna.
		Doddabetta F. S.	16	,,	115 5			About 12 miles from Channapatna.
	Thenginkal Forest	Neelasandra F. S.	5	,,	95 5			About 8 miles from Channapatna.
		Thenginkal F. S.	5	,,	79 8			About 8 miles from Channapatna.
	Kabbal Forest	Kabbal I F. S.	11	,,	102 0			12 miles to Channapatna.
		Kabbal II F. S.	11	,,	100 0			16 miles do
		Kabbal III F. S.	11	,,	117 0			20 miles do
	Tylur Forest	Tylur	17	,,	84 0			18 miles do
	Bilikal Forest	Maralwadi F. S.	10	,,	287 0			45 miles from Bangalore.
		Kadasivanahalli F. S.	10	,,	450 0			56 to 60 miles from Bangalore.
		Gowdahalli F. S.	10	,,	161 0			40 to 45 miles from Bangalore.
		Bettahalli F. S.	10	,,	279 0			56 to 60 miles from Bangalore.
	Banthanal Forest	Banthanal	18	,,	77 0			45 to 47 miles from Bangalore.
	Bananthamari Forest	Bananthamari	10	,,	190 0			40 to 42 miles from Bangalore.
Kankanhalli Range	Muggur Forest	Arkavathi	18	,,	94 7			40 miles from Closepet.
		Nilubande	18	,,	96 3			38 miles do
		Irolpode	18	,,	96 7			39 miles do
		Muggur	18	,,	109 6			40 miles do
		Devarabetta	18	,,	103 2			40 miles do
		Halekote	18	,,	110 1			40 miles do
	Manjanatha Forest	Manjanatha	18	,,	220 0			60 miles do
	Ramadevarabetta	Ramadevarabetta	18	,,	129 25			60 miles do
	Muniswarabetta	Muniswarabetta	18	,,	128 0			25 miles do
	Bettahalliwade A. B. and C.	Bettahalliwade	11	,,	43 3			30 miles do
	ARREAR COUPES.							
	Bilikal Forest	Maralwadi F. S.	2	31-32	287 0			
		Gowdahalli F. S.	4	33-34	59 0			
		Do	5	34-35	161 0			
		Do	6	35-36	161 0			
		Do	7	36-37	161 0			
		Do	8	37-38	161 0			
		Bettahalli F. S.	3	32-33	279 0			
		Do	5	34-35	279 0			
		Do	6	35-36	79 0			
		Do	8	37-38	79 0			
		Kadusivanahalli	3	32-33	150 0			
		Do	4	33-34	150 0			
		Do	6	35-36	450 0			
		Do	7	36-37	200 0			

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Name of Range	Name of Forest	Working Circle or Felling Series	Number of Coupe	Year	Area in acres	Place of sale	Date of sale	Nearest Railway Station
					A. G.			
Kankanhalli Range	Bantanal ..	Banthanal F. S. ..	2	23-24	27 0	District Forset Office, Seshadri Road, Bangalore.	Friday the 28th July 1939	
		Do ..	4	25-26	27 0			
		Do ..	12	33-34	42 0			
		Do ..	17	38-39	77 0			
	Muggur Forest ..	Arkavathi F.S. ..	1 to 3	22-23 to 24-25	94 7 each.			
		Do ..	7 to 16	28-29 to 36-37	94 7 each.			
		Nilubande ..	1 to 2	22-23 to 23-24	96 3 each.			
		Do ..	5 to 8	26-27 to 29-30	96 3 each.			
		Do ..	10 to 17	31-32 to 38-39	96 3 each.			
		Irolpode F.S. ..	1	22-23	40 0			
		Do ..	4	25-26	96 7			
		Do ..	6 to 17	27-28 to 38-39	96 7 each.			
		Muggur ..	1	22-23	109 6			
		Do ..	4 to 17	25-26 to 38-39	109 6 each.			
		Devarabetta ..	1 to 9	22-23 to 30-31	103 2 each.			
		Do ..	12 to 17	33-34 to 38-39	103 2 each.			
		Halekote F.S. ..	1	22-23	80 0			
		Do ..	3	24-25	110 1			
		Do ..	6 to 17	27-28 to 38-39	110 1 each.			
	Manjanatha Forest	Manjanatha ..	1	22-23	55 0			
		Do ..	7	28-29	220 0			
		Do ..	9	30-31	210 0			
		Do ..	10 to 17	31-32 to 38-39	220 0 each.			
	Ramadevarabetta Forest.	Ramadevarabetta ..	7 to 10	28-29 to 31-32	129 25 each.			
		Do ..	11	32-33	125 25			
		Do ..	12 to 16	33-34 to 37-38	129 25 each.			
	Muniswarabetta Forest.	Muniswarabetta ..	6	27-28	28 0			
		Do ..	7	28-29	25 0			
		Do ..	9	30-31	28 0			
		Do ..	14 to 16	35-36 to 37-38	128 0			
		Do ..	17	38-39	80 0			
	Bettahalliwade Forest.	Bettahalliwade ..	7	35-36	43 3			
		Do ..	8	36-37	43 3			
		Do ..	9	37-38	20 0			
	CURRENT YEAR'S COUPES.							
Satnur Range	Basavanabetta ..	Bedarahalli ..	18	39-40	102 7			25 to 30 miles from Channapatna.
		Basavanahalli ..	18	,,	105 6			25 miles from Channapatna.
		Konanagundi ..	18	,,	94 4			25 miles from Channapatna.
		Muthathi ..	18	,,	94 8			30 miles do
		Cauveri ..	18	,,	103 2			25 miles do
		Talvadi ..	18	,,	106 7			25 miles do
	Chilandadi ..	Nayanakal ..	18	,,	97 1			24 miles do
		Doddamande ..	18	,,	101 8			26 miles do
		Mathabore ..	18	,,	96 3			28 miles do
		Hulya ..	18	,,	88 2			30 miles do

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Working Circle or Felling Series	Number of Coupe	Year	Area in acres	Place of sale	Date of sale	Nearest Raliway Station
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Satnur Range	Chilandadi ..	Sangama ..	18	39-40	106 8	District Forest Office, Seshadri Road, Bangalore	Friday the 28th July 1939	32 milesfrom Channapatna
		Hagganur ..	18	,,	104 3			32 miles do
		Veerasandra ..	18	,,	75 3			32 miles do
		Hommalaga ..	18	,,	85 8			28 miles do
	Chunchi East ..	Chunchi East ..	18	,,	35 0			30 miles do
	Chunchi West ..	Chunchi West ..	18	,,	34 0			30 miles do
	ARREAR COUPES.							
	Basavanabetta ..	Bedarahalli ..	1 to 5	..	72 7			
		Do ..	7 to 11	..	102 7 each.			
		Do ..	12	..	62 7			
		Do ..	17	..	102 2			
		Basavanahalli ..	5 to 8	..	105 6			
		Do	10 to 12 14 to 17	..	each.			
		Konangundi ..	4	..	54 4			
			5 to 11	..	94 4			
			13 to 17	..	Each.			
		Do ..	7	..	20 0			
		Muthathi ..	5, 6, 10, 12 to 17	..	94 8 each.			
		Cauvery ..	4	..	50 0			
		Do ..	5, 6 & 14, 16, 17	..	103 2 each.			
	Basavanabetta ..	Talwadi ..	1	..	66 7			
		Do ..	8 to 12 14 to 15	..	106 7 each.			
	Chilandadi ..	Dodmande ..	7	..	70 0			
		Do ..	6, 8 to 12, 14 to 16	..	101 8 each.			
		Mathabore ..	6 to 17	..	96 3 each.			
		Hulya ..	2 to 17	..	88 2 each.			
		Sangama ..	4 to 17	..	106 5 each.			
		Hegganur ..	1, 3 to 5, 7 to 17.	..	104 3 each.			
		Veerasandra ..	3 to 10 13 to 17	..	75 3 each.			
		Hommalaga ..	3, 4, 6, 8 to 11 13 to 17	..	85 8 each.			
		Nayankal ..	1, 3 to 5, 9 to 11 & 7, 14 to 17	..	97 3 each.			
		Do ..	2	..	37 3			
		Do ..	6	..	80 0			
		Do ..	8	..	75 0			
	Chunchi East ..	Chunchi East ..	1 to 15 & 17.	..	35 0 each.			
	Chunchi West ..	Chunchi West ..	5	..	34 0			
Anekal Range	CURRENT YEAR'S COUPES.							
	Ragihalli Forest	Ragihalli I F. S. ..	11	39-40	108 0			20 miles from Bangalore.
		Do II F. S. ..	11	,,	82 0			19 miles do
		Do III F. S. ..	11	,,	97 0			22 miles do
	Gulhatti Forest	Munikal W. C. ..	18	,,	80 0			30 miles do
		Jenkal W. C. ..	18	,,	80 0			30 miles do
	Mahadeswara Forest	Mahadeswara W. C. ..	18	,,	100 0			28 miles do
		Chudahalli W. C. ..	18	,,	96 0			30 miles do
	ARREAR COUPES.							
	Ragihalli Forest ..	Ragihalli III F. S. ..	10	38-39	60 0			21 miles do
Dodballapur Range	Ujjani Forest ..	Sulakunte ..	8	39-40	96 0			12 miles to Thondebhavi

N.B.—It should be clearly noted that the contractor should make his own arrangements for the removal of fuel from the coupes and that the Forest Department will not undertake any responsibility in the matter of opening of roads, etc.

2. Each bidder shall, before he is permitted to bid, be required to furnish a solvency certificate as under the Thangadi Sale Rules and deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (Rupees fifty) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale ; the deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale, if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall, immediately after the close of the sale, pay 25 per cent of the bid amount and local cess at one anna per rupee and education cess at six pies per rupee, less the deposit already paid, failing which the right will be resold or worked departmentally at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale or departmental working which will be recoverable from him as arrears of land revenue but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the Department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. All fuel or timber yielding trees except those reserved by the Department will be sold for a lump-sum amount for the whole coupe or at so much per acre.

5. Power is reserved to the District Forest Officer or such other officer conducting the sale as may be deputed by the District Forest Officer to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week, from the date of intimation regarding the confirmation of the sale, the person whose bid is accepted shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (Fifty) or 25 per cent of the sale amount, whichever is less, for each coupe as security towards the due fulfilment of his contract. He shall also pay within the period the remaining 75 per cent of the contract amount due by him and shall execute an agreement on a stamped paper of proper value accepting the above terms and the terms specified below, failing which the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold or worked departmentally at his risk as noted in clause (2) *supra*. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself.

(*a*) That he shall fell and remove the trees purchased and charcoal prepared therein by him before 30th June 1940.

(*b*) That he shall make the fellings of the trees in a methodical manner from one side of the coupe, coppicing the stumps of the trees felled leaving the standard trees marked on the area intact along with all the trees less than one foot in girth, trees yielding Minor Forest Produce and all trees, shrubs and thorny growths that are coming up within a radius of six feet from sandal trees and saplings. In addition, felling of Hale trees is also prohibited in Savandurga and Siddedevarabetta Forests in Closepet Range.

(*c*) That each consignment of fuel shall be covered by a passport issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf.

(*d*) That if any tree, shrub or growth reserved by the Department as noted in clause (*b*) *supra* is cut, he shall pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per tree.

(*e*) That he shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of the fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*f*) That no operation shall take place in the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(*g*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the coupe and over the fuel paid for but left unremoved in any of the coupes, after 30th June 1940.

(*h*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*i*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of trees felled and the outturn of fuel resulting therefrom and shall keep it open for the examination of Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(*j*) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing to the contractor a notice of the cancellation of the contract, enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell the right or work it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (2) *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

(*k*) Interest at the rate in force will be levied on all belated payments.

Notification dated 3rd July 1939.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, Bangalore, up to 4 P.M., on the 31st July 1939, for the preparation of Sandalwood at the Sandal Koti, Bangalore, during the year 1939-40.

N.B.—The approximate quantity of good wood to be prepared is 200 tons of billet classes which may be increased or decreased at the discretion of the District Forest Officer.

2. Tender should be registered, insured and superscribed as "*Tender for the preparation of Sandalwood at the Bangalore Sandal Koti.*" The tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 25 (rupees twenty-five) in currency notes.

3. The rates to be quoted per ton of finished wood in the following cases:—

(*a*) Preparation of rough wood to assorted wood of different Koti classes. The rate quoted should include weighment and billetting of rough-wood, preparation, weighing and stacking class-war.

(*b*) For trimming, polishing, etc., of Ghotla, Panjam, etc., pieces cut at the saw-benches. The work includes polishing, lotting, affixing seal, counting and putting into bags and weighing.

(*c*) Rates may also be quoted for weighment and stacking of rough or prepared wood for annual stock-taking.

4. The Chief Conservator of Forests reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting the lowest or any tender without assigning any reason therefor.

5. Within 15 days from the date of intimation of the fact of acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer shall deposit a security of Rs. 100 inclusive of the initial deposit referred to in clause 2 above in the shape of Mysore Government Savings Bank Account, duly pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, and execute an agreement binding himself to observe the following conditions, failing which the deposit paid already will be forfeited and the contract cancelled.

Conditions.

(*a*) That he will be bound during the period of contract to supply the required quantity of prepared wood for despatch to the Sandal Oil Factory, or for other purposes whenever called upon.

(*b*) That in case of failure on his part to furnish the required quantity at the required time, the Officer in charge of the Koti may make separate arrangements for the preparation of the wood, making the contractor liable to pay up the extra cost, if any, that may have to be incurred on account of his default.

(*c*) That he will work in the Koti under the strict supervision of the Officer in charge of the Koti at the time fixed by him. The contractor will be liable to the department for any loss or mischief done by his men while working in the Koti.

(*d*) That he should make his own arrangements for the tools, etc., required for the preparation work. Saws, spoke-shaves and other tools in the Koti will be available for use by the coolies and the contractor will be bound to return them in good condition.

(*e*) That he should arrange to have the rough wood billetted, weighed and arranged into lots classwar for issue in the presence of the Koti Officer for preparation, and after preparation is over, the classified wood must be weighed out and stocked classwar in lots.

(*f*) That his men do not smoke in the Koti while working and that in case of danger to the sandalwood by fire, the contractor will be liable to the department for the damages.

(*g*) That no advances will be paid to the contractor for the preparation work, but the payment will be made soon after the prepared wood is weighed out at the close of the month by means of a cheque on receipt of bill from the Koti Officer.

(*h*) That the contractor shall agree to rounding of payments of his bills into annas and rupees as laid down in G. O. No. Fl. 4683-789—G. F. 85-25-2, dated 18th February 1926.

(*i*) That his coolies will submit to the disciplinary measures that may have to be enforced by the Koti Officer during the working hours.

(*j*) That for failure to fulfil all or any of the foregoing conditions, the contractor will be liable for such fine as the District Forest Officer, at his discretion, may levy and forfeiture of security deposit in part or in full to Government. In the case of mere forfeiture of security deposit amount, the difference shall be made good by the contractor immediately. The contract will also be liable for cancellation at the discretion of the District Forest Officer.

Notification dated 3rd July 1939.

Tenders will be received by the District Forest Officer, Bangalore, up to 4 P.M., on the 31st July 1939, for the carting of prepared Sandalwood from the Bangalore Sandal Koti to Bangalore City Railway Station, and rough wood or prepared wood from Bangalore City or Yesvantapur Railway Station to Bangalore Sandal Koti during the year 1939-40.

N.B.—1. The approximate quantity of wood to be carried to the Railway Station is 500 tons which may be increased or decreased at the discretion of the District Forest Officer.

2. Carting includes weighing out the sandalwood intended for despatch, counting billets and loading them into motor lorry and unloading the wood from the lorry at the City Railway Station, Bangalore, or at Yeswantapur and loading into the wagons at the Railway Stations.

3. In the case of chiltas, it also includes preparation of double bags, filling chiltas in bags and duly stitching them afterwards.

4. All the sandalwood consignments received by railway from other districts must be carted to the Koti. Carting includes unloading rough wood from wagons at stations, loading them into carts, unloading, weighing and stocking them in lots in the Koti. The approximate quantity would be 300 tons. Carriage may be done either by motor lorry or by carts.

5. Separate rates may, if the tenderer so desires, be quoted for (*a*) transport, and (*b*) for all other works as loading, unloading, weighing, etc. Rates may also be offerred for only one or both the above items.

II. Tenders should be registered, insured and superscribed as "*Tender for the Carting of Sandalwood from the Bangalore Sandal Koti to the Railway Station, and rough wood from Railway Station to Bangalore Koti.*" The tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 25 (twenty-five rupees) in currency notes. The rates to be quoted should be per ton of wood, separately for rough and prepared wood.

III. The Chief Conservator of Forests will be at liberty to accept or reject the lowest or any tender, without assigning any reason therefor.

IV. Within seven days from the date of intimation of the fact of approval, the successful tenderer shall furnish a security of Rs. 100 *including the initial deposit referred to in clause* (2) above in the shape of Mysore Government Savings Bank Account, duly pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, and execute an agreement binding himself for observing the following conditions, failing which the initial deposit will be forfeited and the contract cancelled :—

Conditions.

(*a*) That he will be bound, during the period of contract, to provide the required number of carts or lorries for the despatch of sandalwood, whenever called upon. The lorries must be in good condition and the capacity of the same should not be less than 1¾ tons.

(*b*) That in case of failure on his part to furnish the required number of carts or lorries in required time, the Officer in charge of the Koti may make his own arrangements for despatch of the wood, making the contractor liable to pay up the extra cost, if any, that may have to be incurred. The contract will also be liable for cancellation at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, on account of such default.

(*c*) The loading and unloading business will be done so as not to give room for leakage or damage of sandalwood and that, in either case, the contractor will be liable to the department for the loss so sustained.

(*d*) That all the loaded carts or lorries will leave the Koti or the Railway Station as the case may be, at the same time and move on, in one batch under the supervision of the departmental subordinates to be deputed to guard the consignment.

(*e*) That the drivers of carts or lorries should not smoke either in the Koti or while the sandalwood is under transit, and that in the case of danger to the sandalwood by fire, the contractor will be liable to the department for damages.

(*f*) That his coolies and drivers of carts or lorries will submit to the disciplinary measure that may be enforced by the Koti Officer, during working hours.

(*g*) That for failure to fulfil all or any of the foregoing conditions, the contractor will be liable for such fine as the District Forest Officer, at his discretion, may levy and forfeiture of the security deposit in full or in part to Government. In the case of mere forfeiture of the security deposit amount, the difference shall be made good by the contractor immediately. The contract will also be liable to cancellation at the discretion of the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) No advances will be made to the contractor for this work, but payment will be made by means of cheques on receipt of bills from the Koti Officer who will prepare the bill after receipt of acknowledgment from the Sandal Oil Factory, Mysore, in the case of good wood and after the issue of Koti receipt in the case of rough wood, subject to the rounding of his bills into annas and rupees, as laid down in G. O. No. Fl. 4683-789—G. F. 85-25-2, dated 18th February 1926.

(*i*) Payment will be made only on the quantities acknowledged by the Factory or Sandal Koti, as the case may be.

Notification dated 3rd July 1939.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Honge seeds and leaves in the State Forests, Plantations, Amrut Mahal Kavals and Reserved Lands of the undermentioned taluks for 1939-40 will be sold talukwar by the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, as detailed below :—

Sl. No.	Name of taluk	Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
1	Bangalore	District Forest Office, Seshadri Road, Bangalore.	29th July 1939. Saturday.	
2	Nelamangala			
3	Hoskote			
4	Devanhalli			
5	Dodballapur			
6	Anekal			
7	Kankanhalli			
8	Closepet			
9	Magadi			

Conditions.

1. The auction sale will commence at 4-30 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day, it will be continued on the next following day.

2. Defaulters on account of previous lease will not be permitted to bid.

3. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the taluk in which they reside, vouching for their solvency. No person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such certificate.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 10 which must be deposited in the form of currency notes. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

5. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce described above will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, or the Chief Conservator of Forests, as the case may be, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the District Treasury or into any Taluk Treasury, the entire sale amount, including the deposit already made together with local cess at one anna per rupee and education cess at six pies per rupee. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

N.B.—If the deficit be not paid, it will be recovered as a revenue demand.

7. If the sale is not confirmed, the amount will be refunded.

8. The accepted bidder shall execute an agreement within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned, duly furnishing a security deposit equal to one-fourth of the sale amount. In default, the acceptance of the bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold.

Interest at the rate in force will be levied on all belated payments.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are:—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any other trees on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permission from the Range Officer before they enter State Forests.

(*e*) The lessee shall keep and render accounts every month to the District Forest Officer of the produce collected and removed by him or his agents during the month. His accounts will be liable for the inspection of the Chief Conservator of Forests, or the District Forest Officer or by any other officer deputed by either of them.

(*f*) The lessee, his agents or servants shall render all possible help in preventing the occurrence of fires in forests in which he or they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*g*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of the Forests, all produce collected and sold under the terms of the lease before the close of the official year, *i.e.*, 30th June 1940.

(*h*) Neither the lessee nor his servants shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*i*) The village amarayi produce is not included in this contract.

9. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. 100, which will be recovered as an arrear of revenue demand.

Notification dated 3rd July 1939.

It is notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Tupra leaves on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations for 1939-42, will be sold talukwar at the places mentioned below, by the District Forest Officer, Bangalore:—

Taluk	Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
1. Closepet ..	District Forest Office, Seshadri Road, Bangalore.	29th July 1939. Saturday	
2. Magadi ..			
3. Bangalore ..			
4. Kankanhalli ..			
5. Devanahalli ..			

N.B.—(*a*) Government have reserved their power of issuing individual licenses for *bona fide* local consumers free or otherwise.

(*b*) Excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals as well as village forests.

1. The auction sale will commence at 3-30 P.M. and if it is not concluded on the same day, it will be continued on the next following day.

2. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

3. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which they reside, vouching for their solvency. No person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such a certificate.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 25, which must be deposited in the form of currency notes. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

5. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, or the Chief Conservator of Forests, as the case may be, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into any Government Treasury one-fourth sale amount including the deposit already made together with local cess at one anna per rupee, and education cess at six pies per rupee on the full sale amount and the balance amount within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

N.B.—If the deficit be not paid, it will be recovered as a Revenue Demand.

7. If the sale is not confirmed, the amount will be refunded.

8. The accepted bidder shall execute an agreement within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned, duly furnishing a security deposit equal to one-fourth of the sale amount. In default, the acceptance of the bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any other trees on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permission from the Range Officer before they enter State Forests.

(*e*) The lessee shall keep and render accounts every month to the District Forest Officer, of the produce collected and removed by him or his agents during the month. His accounts will be liable for the inspection of the Chief Conservator of Forests or the District Forest Officer or by any other officer deputed by either of them.

The lessee shall be considered a wholesale dealer for the collection and export of leaves and shall not interfere with licenses issued by the department for small quantities of leaves to *bona fide* local beedi manufacturers. *Vide* G. O. No. I. C. 1059-68—Ft. 26-23-6, dated 31st August 1923 and G. O. No. 8079-89—Ft. 314-26-2, dated 21st March 1927, *re* free removals of head-loads.

(*f*) The lessee, his agents or servants shall render all possible help in preventing the occurrence of fires in forests, in which he or they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*g*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of the taluk all produce collected and sold under the terms of the lease before the close of the period of contract.

(*h*) Neither the lessee nor his servants shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

9. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled, deposit forfeited and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. 100 which will be recovered as an arrear of Revenue Demand.

10. Interest at the rate in force will be levied on all belated payments.

Notification dated 3rd July 1939.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, Bangalore, up to 4 P.M., on the 31st July 1939, for collection, rough

dressing and carting of dry mature Sandalwood and ground-hidden roots from the undermentioned ranges of the District to Bangalore Sandal Koti, during the year 1939-40 as detailed below :—

Serial No.	Name of Range	Approximate quantity to be collected	Remarks
		Tons	
1	Bangalore	10	More or less. Quantities not guaranteed.
2	Anekal	5	
3	Satnur	50	
4	Kankanhalli	100	
5	Kabbal	10	
6	Closepet	75	
7	Dodballapur	10	
8	Bangalore City Municipal limits	*10	
	Total ..	270	

* Green or dead wood. The wood to be carted to the Koti without rough dressing.

N.B.—The work includes weighment at the Koti and lotting in the Storage Shed as per instructions of the Officer-in-charge.

1. The contract will be for the period ending with 30th June 1940.

2. Tenders may be submitted separately for each Range and should specify the rate per ton delivered at Bangalore Sandal Koti.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 25 (Rupees Twenty-five) for each range in currency notes as earnest money, without which the tender will be rejected. Cover containing the tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Bangalore, duly registered, insured and superscribed "Tender for the collection and carting of Sandalwood and ground-hidden roots." Collection includes uprootal, rough dressing and stocking in a place accessible for carts. The tenders will be opened by the District Forest Officer on 31st July 1939 at 4 P.M., in the presence of such of the tenderers as may be present.

4. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore who does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender or to assign any reason whatsoever for rejecting the same.

5. The acceptance of any tender will be duly communicated to the successful tenderer and the earnest money of other tenderers will be returned to them.

6. The successful tenderer shall execute a bond on a proper stamped paper embodying terms enumerated below within a week of the receipt of the orders, and shall deposit in Government Savings Bank a sum of Rs. 100 as earnest money for the due fulfilment of the terms of the contract. The deposit referred to here shall also include the earnest money referred to in para 4 *supra*, failing which the initial deposit will be forfeited and the contract will be cancelled.

Conditions.

(*a*) The collection of dead Sandalwood and ground-hidden roots shall be extended to all State Forests, District Forests, Amrut Mahal Kavals, assessed and unassessed Government waste lands and to such of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta and Sarvamanya villages as of which the holders are not entitled to the Sandalwood either by sannads or judicial decrees.

(*b*) With regard to the removal of Sandalwood from private holdings, only such of the trees as have been marked by the departmental subordinates shall be removed with the previous written permission of the Range Officer.

(*c*) The collection shall be confined to dead, fallen and decaying Sandal trees and to ground-hidden roots. On no account shall green and mature trees be uprooted. The axes should not, as far as possible, be used for uprootal and rough preparation of Sandalwood.

(*d*) The Sandalwood uprooted shall be roughly dressed in the jungle, leaving a thin layer of less than half an inch of whitewood and shall be carted to the Koti. Each consignment to the Koti shall be covered by a pass-port issued by the departmental subordinates.

(*e*) The contractor shall further bind himself to collect and cart two-thirds of the contracted quantity before the end of December 1939, and the balance by the 30th June 1940

(*f*) The successful tenderer shall see that no injury is caused to the State Forests or property situated therein in the course of his operations and in the event of any such occurring through his negligence or of his men, he shall be made liable as per departmental rules.

(*g*) Should the collection and carting of sandalwood to the Koti be found unsatisfactory, the District Forest Officer will immediately cancel the contract and shall make other arrangements for working out the contracted quantity at the risk of the contractor.

(*h*) The contractor shall remove all the scented wood from the pits, from which the trees have been up-rooted.

(*i*) For the breach of any or all of the above conditions, the contractor shall forfeit the earnest money referred to in para 6 *supra* and the undisbursed portion of the money, if any, due to him for collection and carting of Sandalwood made till the date of default.

(*j*) Payment of charges shall be made only on net quantity acknowledged by the Koti, *i.e.*, after deducting 2 cwts. and 36 lbs. per ton towards driage in the case of rough wood as per procedure now in vogue upon the production of the Koti receipt for the Sandalwood and ground-hidden roots received, and weighed out in the Koti once a month.

(*k*) The contractor shall agree to the rounding of payments of bills into annas and rupees as laid down in Government Order No. Fl. 4683—G.F. 85-25-2, dated 18th February 1936.

P. KRISHNASWAMI RAO,
District Forest Officer.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 23rd June 1939.

The attention of the public is invited to the resale notification dated the 23rd June 1939, for the right of collecting minor forest produce published on page 1214, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 29th June 1939.

Abstract Notification dated 16th June 1939.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification of fuel coupes in Madhugiri and Kunigal Ranges, published on pages 1270-1271, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 6th July 1939.

Notification dated 5th July 1939.

It is hereby notified for general information that under Section 40 of the Mysore Forest Act, 40 bags of charcoal unclaimed in Kempanahalli District Forest to the east of Dommanayerehalli, Huliyurdurga Hobli, Kunigal Taluk, has been kept in the custody of Javaregowda, Patel, Kempanahalli.

Persons having any right to the said charcoal are hereby requested to present a statement of their claims to the undersigned within a month from the date of publication of this notice and establish their claims thereto, failing which the charcoal will lapse to Government under Section 42 of the said Act.

P. A. MOHAN RAM,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Notification dated 29th June 1939.

Notice is hereby given under Section 40 (1) of the Mysore Forest Act of 1900 that the following timber found lying unclaimed in the places noted against it, is kept in the cutody of the Patel's sons Messrs. Dasegowda and Kengegowda, Kachuvanahalli, Hanagod Hobli, Hunsur Taluk. Persons having any claim to the above timber may present a written statement of their claims to the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, Mysore, within one month from the date of publication of this notification in the *Mysore Gazette*, failing which the ownership of the timber shall vest in Government free from all encumbrances under Section 42 of the Mysore Forest Act of 1900.

Name of village	Place at which the timber was found	Kind of timber	With whom the timber is now kept
Kachuvanahalli	Near the Tank in the Gomal of Kachuvanahalli Village.	Honne. 13′– 9″×3′– 9″=12 C.ft. 20′–0″×2′– 8″= 9 ,,	Messrs. Dasegowda and Kengegowda of Kachuvanahalli.
	Near the Kurubara Maranabadi.	Teak. 22′–6″×2′–6″= 9 C.ft. 9′ –3″×2′ –8″= 4 ,, 7′– 0″×2′–5″= 3 ,,	
	Total ..	5 =37 C.ft.	